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MESSAGE Examiner Meeks, attached is an Amendment and Response to Paper No. 19 for U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 09/477,422. Thank you very much for your assistance in this matter.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 24, 2003, Paper No. 19, Applicant hereby files the following Amendment and Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in light of these amendments and comments, and solicits allowance of all remaining claims. Claim amendments begin on p. 2, and remarks begin on p. 7.